

WEST VALLEY CITY, UTAH
ORDINANCE NO. _____

Draft Date: 12/23/2008

Date Adopted: _____

Date Effective: _____

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 16-5-101 OF THE
WEST VALLEY CITY MUNICIPAL CODE TO ADOPT
THE 2008 EDITION OF THE NATIONAL ELECTRICAL
CODE, AS AMENDED AND ADOPTED BY THE STATE OF
UTAH, AS THE STANDARD FOR BUILDINGS WITHIN
WEST VALLEY CITY.**

WHEREAS, the State of Utah has adopted the 2008 edition of the National Electrical Code, with amendments, as the official code governing buildings throughout the State; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of West Valley City, Utah, does hereby determine that it is in the best interests of the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of West Valley City to amend Section 16-5-101 of the West Valley City Municipal Code in order to adopt the 2008 edition of the National Electrical Code, as amended and adopted by the State of Utah;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of West Valley City, Utah, as follows:

1 **Section 1. Repealer.** Any provision of the West Valley City Municipal Code found
2 to be in conflict with this Ordinance is hereby repealed.

3 **Section 2. Amendment.** Section 16-5-101 is hereby amended to read as follows:

4 **16-5-101. ADOPTION OF THE NATIONAL ELECTRICAL CODE.**

5 (1) For the purpose of safeguarding persons and property from hazards arising from
6 the use of electricity, the entire 2005-8 edition of the National Electrical Code is hereby adopted
7 as promulgated by the National Fire Protection Association, including any amendments that have
8 been or may be made by the State of Utah through the Utah Uniform Building Codes
9 Commission. The National Electrical Code, as adopted above, is hereby fully incorporated as if
10 set out at length herein, and from the effective date of this Chapter the provisions thereof shall be
11 controlling within the corporate limits of the City.

12 (2) Pursuant to Section 10-3-711, Utah Code Annotated, 1953 as amended, three

13 copies of the National Electrical Code have been filed for use and examination by the public in
14 the City Recorder's Office prior to its adoption and, thereafter, at least one copy shall be in the
15 City Recorder's Office at all times.

16 **Section 3. Severability.** If any provision of this Ordinance is declared to be invalid
17 by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remainder shall not be affected thereby.

18 **Section 4. Effective Date.** This Ordinance shall take effect immediately upon
19 posting in the manner required by law.

PASSED and APPROVED this _____ day of _____,
2009.

WEST VALLEY CITY

MAYOR

ATTEST:

CITY RECORDER